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Form of affidavit in use at Houston.

Houston city and Harris County quarantine.

Questions:

1. Where did you stop in Houston?
2. Where are you from?
3. What day did you start?
4. Do you solemnly swear that you have not been in San Antonio or any point supposed to be infected with yellow fever within the past seven days?

Sign names:

1. _____. 3. _____.
2. _____. 4. _____.
_____, Texas, _____, 1903.

NEW ORLEANS, *October 27, 1903.*

DEAR DOCTOR: I inclose a copy of Dr. C. L. Horton's report on his trip to Beaumont and Houston. Again thanking you for kind cooperation, I beg to remain,

Yours, very truly,

EDMOND SOUCHON, M. D.,

President Louisiana State Board of Health.

The SURGEON-GENERAL,

*Public Health and Marine-Hospital Service.**Inspection Service, Mexican border.*

EAGLE PASS, TEX.

Acting Assistant Surgeon Hume reports as follows: Week ended October 24, passengers inspected, 291; persons held, 5; Pullman cars fumigated, 8.

El Paso.

Passed Assistant Surgeon Lumsden reports as follows:

Week ended October 24, 1903.

Inspection Mexican Central passengers	250
Inspection Mexican immigrants	57
Inspection certificate of cause of death—corpse transferred into United States....	1
Detention for 36 hours of passenger from Vera Cruz to complete requisite time....	1

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Surgeon Guiteras reports as follows:

Inspection for the weeks ended October 17 and 24, 1903.

	Oct. 17.	Oct. 24.
Number of trains inspected.....	7	6
Number of passengers inspected.....	18	22
Immigrants inspected		2
Number of Pullman cars inspected.....	7	5

Statistical reports of States and cities of the United States—Yearly and monthly.

CALIFORNIA.—Month of September, 1903. Reports from 39 cities and towns, representing a population of 899,406, show a mortality of 980, including diphtheria 9, enteric fever 15, measles 1, scarlet fever 1, whooping cough 1, plague 1, and 131 from tuberculosis.

San Diego.—Month of September, 1903. Estimated population, 20,000. Total number of deaths, 22, including 2 from tuberculosis.